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Enclosed is a redraft of the Luxembourg application directed to the above-identified FTR process. The redraft is in a form which conforms to U.S. practice and incorporates the data included in the 1978 Microbiology Report of Dieter Schulthess and in Beth Krasna's Final Report of Trial Nino 39. In addition, the information conveyed to us by Beth Krasna and Dieter Schulthess during our meeting in August is incorporated in the application.

Also enclosed herewith is a summary of areas of the application requiring review and of the further information which is required to complete the application. If you wish, the summary may be forwarded directly to PTR with the draft application.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

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